wood so inspected and measured by him, to be paid by the party at whose request said service was performed; the said measurer or deputy to give a certificate of the number of cords contained in each lot.

JAIL.

1868, ch. 3.

535. The mayor and city council have power to provide by ordinance for the appointment, as other city officers are appointed, of visitors or other superintendents of the jail of said city, and to prescribe the powers and duties of such visitors or superintendents; provided, that until the mayor and city council of Baltimore shall have acted in the premises, the powers and duties of the visitors of the jail of Baltimore city shall be such as are prescribed by the sections of this sub-title of this article; and provided further, that when the said mayor and city council shall have by ordinance prescribed the powers and duties of the visitors of the jail of Baltimore city, then, and in that event, the operation of the sections of this sub-title of this article, from section 538 to section 567, inclusive, shall cease, and the said sections, from section 538 to section 567, inclusive, shall be ipso facto repealed.

Tbid.

536. All titles to property of any and every kind now held by the visitors of the jail of Baltimore city shall be transferred to and vested in the mayor and city council of Baltimore, to all intents and purposes; and all powers and privileges heretofore conferred upon the said visitors of the jail of Baltimore city, shall be conferred upon the mayor and city council aforesaid.

1880, ch. 382.

537. Each visitor so appointed, before he proceeds to act, shall take and subscribe before the mayor the oath of office prescribed in the sixth section of the first article of the constitution.

P. L. L., (1860,) art. 4, sec. 571.

538. Three visitors shall at any time form a quorum for the transaction of business.